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St. Rose Bulletin

Mission Statement

St. Rose School, a Roman Catholic K-8 school in the Diocese of Youngstown, is committed to providing a Catholic, quality education which promotes spiritual formation and academic excellence whereby students develop to their full potential.

Important Dates:

August 30 Mass 8:30

Sept. 4 No School
Labor Day

Sept. 12-First Home &
School Meeting @ 6:30
in the school

Sept. 13- Grs 4 & 5
Field trip Barnheisel
House

Sept. 14- Grades 4 & 5
Kids Script Assembly @
10:15

Sept. 15- No School
Teacher In-service

Sept. 20-22 Grade 5 to
Camp Fitch

Sept. 22- Kindergarten
field trip to White House
Farms

Sept. 27- School
Pictures

Committed to Excellence in Catholic Education

A NEW YEAR BEGINS! LOOK WHAT'S NEW

I would like to welcome everyone back to another wonderful school year. As you can see, we were very busy over the summer getting ready for the start of the 2017-2018 school year. Some building updates that took place over the summer are all classrooms air conditioning and we updated the cafeteria kitchen. We also hired a new chef. The elevator should be finished sometime in late Oct.

We would also like to welcome all our new students and their families into our St. Rose school family. We hope that you have a wonderful year here

We would also like to welcome back all of our returning teachers

This year's returning staff:

Kindergarten	Mrs. Anthony
First Grade	Mrs. Kelly
First Grade	Mrs. Lasher
Second Grade	Mrs. Jenkins
Second Grade	Mrs. Racketa
Third Grade	Mrs. Myers
Third Grade	Miss Kepley
Fourth Grade	Mrs. Lyons
Fifth Grade	Mrs. Dohar
Fifth Grade	Mrs. Jones

at St. Rose and thank you for becoming part of our school family.

Sixth Grade	Mrs. Diaz
Sixth Grade	Mrs. Santana
Seventh Grade	Mr. Miller
Eighth Grade	Mrs. Lowry
Music	Mr. Zunic
Physical Education	Mrs. Macali
Art	Miss Cagley
Computer	Sr. Carole Suhar
Maintenance	Mr. Kempe
Nurse	Mrs. Hall
School Secretary	Mrs. Lenhart
Cafeteria	Mrs. Damelio
Cafeteria Helper	Mrs. Maszczak
Aux. Clerk	Mrs. Carney
Speech	Mrs. Ricks

We would also like to welcome the new teachers and staff members to our school.

Miss Marucci will be our new 4th grade teacher.

Ms. Silvers will be our new 6-8 grade math teacher.

Ms. Chrystal will be our new chef





Camp Fitch

The 5th grade will be going on their annual trip to Camp Fitch beginning Wed. Sept. 20rd thru Fri. Sept. 22rd. There will be an informational parent meeting schedule soon.

AHERA

The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act requires that notification be given yearly to indicate that our school inspections and management plans are in compliance with AHERA law. Saint Rose just had its three year re-inspection done in August and we are in full compliance with the AHERA law.

Please be assured that your child's health and safety remain our highest priorities.



Reminder: If your child is absent you must call the school office to report them off. But also you must send in a note or Doctor's excuse as to why they were absent to be considered an excused absences.

We encourage all parents to join us for Mass on Wednesdays. We do ask that you either sit in the back or the side and not with the classroom.

OCSAA

Our school will be starting the accreditation process over again beginning this year with our self-study. We receive accreditation from the Ohio Catholic School Accreditation Association.

Beginning of the Year Forms

Please be sure that all required forms are signed and returned to the school office as soon as possible.

All families are required to return their tuition agreement and Parish verification forms. If you have not please do so.

Arrival and Dismissal Times

Remember that school begins at 8:00 am and ends at 3:00 pm. Any student arriving after 8:00 am will be considered tardy and according to the Parent Handbook after 5 tardies (per quarter) students will receive a detention. School ends at 3:00 pm those students being picked up by their parents must be picked up at that time. Any student not picked up by 3:30 will have to go to aftercare and pay for the service according to the handbook.

Remember that students may not be dropped -off or picked -up on Main Street. Parents may not drop-off students in the Stewart Street parking lot because that does not belong to St. Rose School.



Tuition

During these economic times, I understand what a sacrifice it is to send your child to a Catholic School. Please know that it will be the best investment you can make for your child.

I would like to thank all those parents who have already paid or started their payment plan for the 2017-2018 tuition. If in your signed tuition agreement, if you chose to pay in full instead of payments and have not yet paid your tuition you will now be on the monthly payment plan.

Again thank you for choosing to become part of the St. Rose School family.



Volunteers

We love to have volunteers in our school especially to come and help with lunch and recess. However, we need to follow the state guidelines that all volunteers must be BCI finger printed and have the required child protection class VIRTUS, which is being offer here at St. Rose Sept.5. If you have already met these requirements and they are on file at school then you have to do nothing. If you are a new parent or new volunteer and have these requirements met at another school be sure to send a copy to the school office. If you have not met these requirements you must do so before you can volunteer here at St. Rose.

Lunchroom Reminders

The students get a total of 45 minutes for lunch/recess. We have a new chef this year. The lunches look fantastic and according to the students delicious. Please remember for the younger students to place extra lunch money in an envelope marked with your child's name. A full lunch cost \$3.00.

Thank you



Parent Handbook

Our Parent Handbook is available on line at:

www.saintrosecatholicsschool.com

An updated handbook will be sent home in the next week and will be posted online. When you receive your new handbook please read and discuss it with your child. Then sign the handbook acknowledgement sheet and return it to school by the required date.